

THE INAUGURATION OF ROOSEVELT.

A Brilliant and Imposing Spectacle--Whole Country Represented--Fairbank's Inauguration.

Washington, March 6.—The most brilliant and imposing inauguration which the citizens of Washington have ever prepared has passed into history of the republic. Theodore Roosevelt did not ride to the capitol, hitch his horse to a shade tree, enter the building and take the oath of office, bottled and spurred.

The traditional Jeffersonian simplicity was replaced by a pageant which has not been surpassed in the annals of the nation. For a week the District of Columbia has been the host of the Union. Term after presidential term, her citizens, without regard to party, unite with enthusiasm, preparing an inauguration that shall fittingly show forth the national respect for the executive office. For the unparalleled demonstration Saturday the whole credit is due to these citizens, the officials of the war and navy departments and the officers of the army and navy.

The President's Oath.

With the appearance of the president from the senate chamber, the shouting began, swelling into a roar like Niagara, rising to cyclonic effects and continuing while the senate and members of the house, the cabinet, the heads of the army and navy, ambassadors and representatives of every subordinate branch of the government, and a great company of guests filed out of the senate doors and filled the immense platform.

At length all was ready for the crowning ceremony. The sea of humanity was still. The president advanced to take the oath of office. With his hand upon the Bible held by the chief justice, he reverently repeated the oath, kissed the book at the end and Theodore Roosevelt, a soldier of the republic, became president by the votes of the people, following the unbroken line of soldier presidents which his party has installed since the close of the civil war. He then delivered his inaugural address, which surprised his hearers by its brevity. As the ceremony closed, he was again greeted by the cheers of the immense throng.

Accompanied by his escort and followed by troops and civilian paraders, he started for the White House. It was the most perfect column that ever marched in an inaugural parade, though its numbers were less. General Chaffee had insisted that a brigade of the national guard from each state should be the maximum. This obligated an imposing but wearisome and monotonous sight, as when Pennsylvania's 12,000 finely equipped state troops marched in the McKinley inaugural. Everywhere as the column passed, the skill of General Chaffee's supervision was apparent to every practiced eye. Nothing was left to chance. The national guard and the civic grand divisions had their orders of formation for each unit of the column and conformed to them. Never has there been so perfect a regular army composed any previous national pageant. Cavalry, infantry, artillery, engineers, marines, seamen and, properly classed with all these, the Annapolis and West Point cadets, thrilled all the soldiers with this exponent of the perfection of our military arm.

Fairbanks Made Vice President.

In the presence of as many of his fellow citizens as could be crowded into the senate chamber, Charles Warren Fairbanks was at high noon Saturday inducted into the office of vice president of the United States. The ceremony was quickly followed by the final adjournment of the senate of the fifty-eighth congress, the beginning of a special session, an address by the vice president and the swearing into office of almost a third of the membership of the senate. All these official acts took place in the chamber just before the inauguration of the president and were in reality, while themselves of great import, the prelude of the more important event. The installation of the new vice president was severely simple, and as brief as simple.

TEXAS LEGISLATURE.

Austin, Texas, March 6.—If the legislature is slow about passing the general deficiency bill the state treasury may continue on a cash basis through all of this month. The deficit was wiped out temporarily Saturday and for the first time in many months the general revenue fund had a few dollars to the good in its coffers. Tax receipts are light during this month, but it is expected that the revenues will be sufficient to pay the running expenses.

There has been some wonder at the slowness in getting the general deficiency bill before the legislature. It is understood that the bill is practically completed and if it is pushed its passage ought to be obtained within the next two weeks. As it will aggregate approximately \$450,000, whatever accumulation there may be in the general revenue fund will be quickly wiped out.

Tennis Championship.

Boston: George Peering, Jr., and H. D. Scott defeated their club mates, Asa Shaw, Jr., and H. H. Hunnewell in the final round of the double racquet championship of the United States at the Boston Tennis and Racquet Club yesterday, the victors taking four of six games.

Leaped From Window.

Dallas, Texas: A patient died at St. Paul's sanitarium about 11:30 last night under peculiar circumstances. The nurse left the room for a moment and on returning discovered that the patient had leaped through the window to the ground. He was found dead beneath the window. All that could be learned from the hospital attendants was that he was a stranger in Dallas named Ewing.

Head-On Collision.

Missoula, Mont.: Two persons are dead and six injured as the result of a collision of a freight train and the westbound Twin Cities express on the Northern Pacific at Bear Mouth, yesterday afternoon. Engineer Sheehan of the freight train misconstructed his orders, and as the freight rounded the curve east of Bear Mouth it crashed head-on into the express.

Three Crimes Within One Hour.

Birmingham, Ala.: Lawson Sims, Victor Griggs and Cleveland McCally are under arrest here, charged with highway robbery. It is alleged they held up three men in Pratt City, a suburb of this city, Saturday night within an hour and secured considerable jewelry and money. Highway robbery is a capital offense in Alabama.

HIS IDEA OF A GENTLEMAN.

Cardinal Newman's Estimate is Well Worthy the Attention of All. Cardinal Newman's definition of a gentleman has probably never been surpassed. Here it is:

"It is almost the definition of a gentleman to say he is one who never forgets pain. He has his eyes on all his company; he is tender toward the bashful, gentle toward the distant and merciful toward the absurd; he can recollect to whom he is speaking; he guards against unreasonable allusions or topics which may irritate; he is seldom prominent in conversation and never worrisome.

"He makes light of favors while he does them and seems to be receiving when he is conferring. He never speaks of himself except when compelled, never defends himself by a mere retort; he has no care for slander or gossip, is scrupulous in imputing motives to those who interfere with him and interprets everything for the best. He is never mean or little in his disputes, never takes unfair advantage, never mistakes personalities or sharp sayings for arguments or insinuates evil which he dare not say out."

Capital punishment has been abolished in the state of Nuevo Leon, Mexico, for ordinary criminals, but is reserved for highway robbers, traitors, revolutionists and such other offenders.

Doing Great Work.

Ward, Ark., March 6th.—(Special.)—From all over the West reports come of cures of different forms of Kidney Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and this place is not without evidence of the great work the Great American Kidney Remedy is doing.

Among the cures here is Mr. J. V. Waggoner, a well known citizen, who, in an interview, says: "Dodd's Kidney Pills have done wonders for me. My kidneys and bladder were badly out of order. I used many medicines, but got nothing to cure me till I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. Two boxes of them fixed me up so that I have been well ever since."

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Mrs. J. J. Blalock.

Miles, Texas, July 2, '04.

To A. B. Richards Med. Co., Sherman, Texas.

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When your stomach is all upset, your liver in bad shape, your bowels out of whack, your head like to split, and every nerve in your body on edge, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gallops for aid and you get it. It clears out your poisoned system, brings fresh, clean blood supply to all your digestive organs, and restores to you that comfortable feeling of perfect health. Sold by all druggists at 60c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

If you are going to have the world at your feet, don't let your foot stop.

Dr. Hunter, Specialist.

If you have any ailment, state principal symptoms and get a list of questions, books, etc. A new system of scientific specialists treatment for catarrh, bronchitis, asthma, consumption, etc., by inhalation, which you can use at your home. Dr. J. H. Hunter, 310 Main St., Houston.

Spitzbergen is one of the few countries as yet unclaimed by any nation. Anyone may dig the coal found in the cliffs there.

I do not believe there is a cure for Consumption but an equal for coughs and colds.—JAMES P. BROWN, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1902.

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